

PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q77351

Hideki HATANO, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/656,879

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For: HOLOGRAPHIC RECORDING MEDIUM AND HOLOGRAPHIC
RECORDING/REPRODUCING APPARATUS USING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
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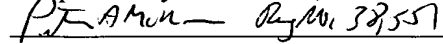
Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of **December 1, 2003 to March 1, 2004**.

The Office is hereby directed and authorized to charge the Extension of Time fee of **\$110.00** to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, 1.17 and 1.492 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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